

CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1. A video entertainment satellite network system comprising:

a plurality of video entertainment satellite systems, each video entertainment satellite system comprising a video jukebox adapted to receive inputs from a plurality of input devices and send output to a plurality of output devices; and

a satellite communication device;

wherein each video entertainment satellite system is adapted to communicate with other video entertainment satellite systems through a satellite communication network by the satellite communication device.
2. A video entertainment satellite network system according to claim 1, each video jukebox including an audio and video communication panel, a control panel and an access authorization panel.
3. A video entertainment satellite network system according to claim 2, wherein the access authorization panel comprises at least a memory card reader.
4. A video entertainment satellite network system according to claim 2, wherein the access authorization panel includes

means for receiving a payment from a user, the payment authorizing the user to use the video jukebox.

5. A video entertainment satellite network system according to claim 1, each video entertainment satellite system including a computing and data storage device adapted for two-way communication with the video jukebox.

6. A video entertainment satellite network system according to claim 1, each video entertainment satellite system including a internet portal adapted to provide two-way communication with the internet for the video jukebox.

7. A video entertainment satellite network system according to claim 1, wherein the plurality of input devices includes a microphone.

8. A video entertainment satellite network system according to claim 1, wherein the plurality of input devices includes at least a video camera.

9. A video entertainment satellite network system according to claim 1, wherein the plurality of output devices include audio broadcast and video display devices.

10. A video entertainment satellite system comprising:

a video jukebox having an audio and video communication panel, a control panel and an access authorization panel;
a plurality of input devices adapted to provide input to the video jukebox from a user;
a plurality of audio and video output devices adapted to receive communication from the video jukebox and output the communication; and
means for communicating with at least another remotely located video jukebox.

11. A video entertainment satellite network system according to claim 10, wherein the access authorization panel comprises at least a memory card reader.

12. A video entertainment satellite network system according to claim 10, wherein the access authorization panel includes means for receiving a payment from a user, the payment authorizing the user to use the video jukebox.

13. A video entertainment satellite network system according to claim 10, each video entertainment satellite system including a computing and data storage device adapted for two-way communication with the video jukebox.

14. A video entertainment satellite network system according to claim 10, each video entertainment satellite system including a internet portal adapted to provide two-way communication with the internet for the video jukebox.

15. A video entertainment satellite network system according to claim 10, wherein the plurality of input devices includes a microphone.

16. A video entertainment satellite network system according to claim 10, wherein the plurality of input devices includes at least a video camera.

17. A method of providing networked satellite entertainment comprising:

- connecting a plurality of video entertainment satellite systems to a communication network, each video entertainment satellite system including a video jukebox adapted to receive inputs from a plurality of input devices and send output to a plurality of output devices, wherein the output of the video jukebox is available to the plurality of video entertainment satellite systems through the communication network;
- providing interactive audio and video at each video jukebox of each video entertainment satellite system, the interactive audio

and video being provided pending a user communicating authorization for receiving the interactive audio and video to the video jukebox;

storing usage data of the interactive audio and video for the video jukebox of each video entertainment satellite system, wherein the usage data is available to the plurality of video entertainment satellite systems through the communication network; and

wherein each of the plurality of video entertainment satellite systems and the plurality of video entertainment satellite systems are adapted to vary operations characteristics thereof based on the usage data.

18. The method of claim 17, wherein each video entertainment satellite system includes a satellite communication device, and wherein the communication network is a satellite communication network.

19. The method of claim 17, wherein each video entertainment satellite system includes an internet communication portal, and wherein the communication network is adapted to operate through the internet portal by the internet.

20. The method of claim 17, wherein each video jukebox includes a memory card reader for storing and retrieving the usage data from a memory card of the user.